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REGRET DELAY IN RESPONDING TO REF A WHICH ARRIVED POST DAY BEFORE
AGOFF DEPARTURE ON TRIP TO PRC. DUE TO NATURE OF RECENT PRC STATEMENTS

ON PRC COTTON PRODUCTION, FELT IT NECESSARY TO EXAMINE ENTIRE
SERIES TO RECONCILE SUPPLY WITH UTILIZATION. OUR REVISED SERIES
TOGETHER WITH ANALYSIS IS NOW BEING PREPARED AS A COTTON REPORT
WHICH WILL BE FORWARDED TO FAS/W UPON COMPLETION WITHIN NEXT FEW
DAYS. OUR REVISED S&D TABLE FOR 1974-77 IS AS FOLLOWS:

(1,000 BALES OF 450 POUNDS NET)

CALENDAR YEAR	1974	1975	1976	1977
BEGINNING STOCKS	1,900	1,900	1,750	1,200
PRODUCTION	11,500	10,700	9,400	9,100
IMPORTS	700	750	650	2,100
EXPORTS/RE-EXPORTS	200	100	100	50
CONSUMPTION	12,000	11,500	10,500	11,800

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